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 Yoshifumi TANIMOTO  
 Serial No: Not assigned  
 Filed: December 8, 2000  
 For: FACSIMILE MACHINE

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 16 page(s) of specification and 1 page(s) of abstract of the invention are enclosed.  
 An assignment of the invention to MURATA KIKAI KABUSHIKI KAISHA  is enclosed  will follow.  
 An associate power of attorney  is enclosed  will follow.  
 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.  
 Declaration and Power of Attorney  is enclosed  will follow.  
 A certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 11-368460 filed December 24, 1999 from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 is enclosed.  
 IDS enclosed ( with 1 reference(s)).  
 Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.  
 Application data sheet is enclosed. See 37 CFR 1.76.  
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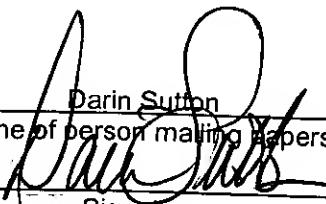
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